

Allport Cargo Services Launches New Turkish Rail Service

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A frequent, trailer train linking UK/North Europe and Turkey in both directions from June 2014 onwards

Allport Cargo Services have been operating overland services between UK and Turkey for more than 25 years. Working with our partners Ulusoy we have developed the concept of a network solution which is flexible, economical and green.

The rail service will offer up to a 10% cost saving over conventional road services, and yet is just as fast, more secure and with reduced CO2 emissions.



With fixed day departures and the ability to cover reefers, hanging garments and double-deck, the train moves to and from Istanbul and Cologne where our own fleet of dedicated lorries move trailers or containers to and from the UK, non-stop, in less than 12 hours.

John Williams, ACS Managing Director, Overland Division commented “We are delighted to be launching this innovative service offering comprehensive corridor management to and from Turkey. We are committed to ensuring that we provide our customers with inventive solutions, we know that they need an economical solution that

minimises environmental impact without compromising transit speed and security – and this is what our new service provides”

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About Allport Cargo Services

Founded in 1963 Allport Cargo Services operate in 30 countries, with representation in another 100.

Our network extends to 450 offices, with more than 21,000 colleagues and a worldwide turnover exceeding £600 million.

Headquartered in Cowley, Middlesex, our 1,000 UK based colleagues operate out of 20 hi-tech logistics hubs, packaging factories and freight centres: Packing, handling and transporting cargo globally every day for 3,000 customers in a range of sectors.

In addition to traditional multi-modal forwarding operations, three of the top four UK supermarkets engage with Allport for supply chain management and a range of specialist services have been developed for the defence, HiTech, film, fashion and event sectors.

Committed to providing ethical supply chain solutions, Allport Cargo Services have adopted ethical commitments globally, with independent compliance auditing and visibility through a dedicated web portal.

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